

Board and McGuire, Druggists, desire to extend to all their friends and patrons and to every body else their sincere wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year chuck full of happiness and prosperity.

Hon. W. J. Cary, M. C., of Milwaukee, Wis., will speak to the National Personal Liberty League Debating Society January 12th at Masonic Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Weddington, of 1442 Corcoran street, will have as their guest Miss Annie C. Weddington, a teacher in the Hampton Normal School, and the Misses Nettie Price Hagler and Olivia J. Weddington, of Charlotte, N. C.

Miss Sadie R. Washington, of Charlotte, N. C., will be the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Alleyne, of 20th st.

Miss Pearl Christmas will spend the holidays in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Mayo.

Many people are now ordering miniature busts of Bishop Richard Allen, founder of the great A. M. E. church, and of Booker T. Washington for Christmas and New Year gifts. Mail orders solicited. Address National Afro-Art Co., 1912 1-2 14th St., N. W., Wash., D. C. Price \$1.00 each.

Mrs. Jennie B. Browne, organizer of Beatrice Council, No. 423 I. O. of St. Luke, was the recipient of a gold cross and chain, presented by the Willing Workers of said Council recently.

The presentation speech was delivered by the District Deputy, Mrs. Bessie Anderson, which was masterly.

Mrs. Jennie B. Brown was very thankful for the gift, and said it is a grand thing to receive bouquets of flowers while one could see and appreciate them.

Refreshments were served to the members, friends and visitors. All left for their homes feeling much inspired with the work recently accomplished.

The social given at the Eighth street home, extended, on last Friday evening by the Junior College Class of Howard University was well attended and an enjoyable evening was spent by all.

Hot chocolate and dainty wafers are all the rage now at the Board and McGuire Pharmacy on 14th street.

A reception will be held at the residence of Mrs. Snelson, 2207 14th street northwest, on Saturday, January 1, 1910, for all St. Lukes.

In the artistically arranged Japanese tea room of Mrs. Toomey last Saturday evening the Matrons' Whist Club, composed of twelve women, met their hostesses, the Saturday Evening Whist Club, composed of twelve of the younger set, familiarly known as the Maids. A challenge series of games issued by the latter was played off. The matrons were represented by Arthur Gray as scorekeeper, and the Maids by James A. Cobb, William A. Joiner acted as referee. Twelve games of four hands each were played. Mr. Joiner announced at the close that the Maids had won by forty-five points, the news being enthusiastically received. Mrs. Mary C. Terrell, president of the Matrons' Club, in a charming and graceful manner congratulated the Maids upon their victory. Miss Therese Lee responded as president of the Saturday Evening Whist Club, expressing the pleasure of the club at the presence of the Matrons and the desire for a continuation of rivalry between the clubs. An excellent repast was served by Mrs. Toomey and Mrs. Werles.

What the ladies wore: Mrs. Mary Church Terrell, black satin princess, gold and white lace; Mrs. Alfred Lewis, pink satin; Mrs. A. M. Curtis, apricot satin trimmed in jet and gold; Mrs. R. C. Bruce, black chiffon over white, embroidered in green; Mrs. Carrie Clifford, gray broadcloth; Mrs. William Wilkinson, black net; Mrs. Charles Pickett, black net and dull gold; Mrs. C. I. West, white crepe Connor, gray messaline with white C. Fry, pale blue satin trimmed with

white and gold; Mrs. J. W. Cromwell, gray silk, heavy lace and net; Miss Therese Lee, black chiffon with embroidered net and spangles; Miss Eva Ross, white silk, lace and tulle; Miss Edna Gray, champagne colored braided broadcloth; Effie Simmons, yellow crepe de chine, with gold; Miss Jennie Robinson, pink flowered silk with pink satin; Miss Eleanor Curtis, blue crepe trimmed with silver and glass; Miss Cora Hawkins, canary crepe de chine and lace; Miss Jennie Williamson, pink messaline; Miss Anna Jones, peacock blue broadcloth, Grecian band; Miss Eudora Mitchell, old rose satin with white; Miss Lulu Allen, white flowered crepe de chine, green velvet and lace; Miss Jessie Parks, pale blue silk, gold lace and chiffon.

Busts of Negro celebrities can now be placed beside the busts of white celebrities in your libraries and parlors. For particulars address National Afro-Art Co., 1912 1-2 14th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

The offer was received with enthusiasm by the association will see to it that this enthusiastic applause and the members Prof. Kelly Miller delivered an address before the pupils of the Colored High School in Baltimore last week. Subject, "The Ideal Man."

Mrs. Ida Gibbs Hunt, wife of the Hon. W. H. Hunt, United States Consul at St. Etienne, France, will spend a part of the winter here, as guest of her father, Judge Gibbs, and sister, Mrs. Harriet Gibbs Marshall.

Misses Ella and Annie Mallison, of this city, are visiting friends in Newport News, Va., and their brother, Captain Mallison, at Buckroe Beach, Virginia.

Mrs. R. L. Jones and daughter, of Charleston, W. Va., is in the city for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. P. Nelson, who has been in this city several days, returned to his home in Kanawha, W. Va., last week.

The Pullman Porters' reception given last week at the Odd Fellows Hall was well attended.

Dr. J. E. Mooreland, international secretary, and Mr. Lewis E. Johnson, local secretary, of the Y. M. C. A., report a highly profitable session which they recently attended in Louisville, Ky.

Miss Henrietta Vinton Davis gave a four-act military drama of "Dessalines" at the Trinity Congregational Church, Pittsburg, Pa., last week. The company consisted of many capable young people.

Mrs. Howard Richardson has returned to her home in Philadelphia, Pa., much delighted with her visit to this city.

There are many beautiful Xmas presents and New Year remembrances still at the drug store of Board and McGuire, 1912 1-2 14th St., Northwest.

Miss Dora Kowetmeyer, who had a congenial visit of one month with friends in the city has returned to home at Newport News, Va.

Mr. Travis Dade, who has been in New York since September the guest of his brother, returned home last week looking well and much pleased with his trip.

Mr. C. Carpenter, visited Baltimore last week.

Mrs. Carrie Johnson, of Baltimore, Md., was the guest of Mrs. Jas. McNearson while in this city.

Miss Gertrude Hendricks, of Philadelphia, Pa., was the guest of Miss Martha Evans while in this city.

Mrs. Duncan is still the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Washington, in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Eliza Hony has returned to her home in Philadelphia, Pa., much delighted with her five weeks' visit to the Nation's Capital.

Mrs. Otto Brooks Jones, of West Virginia, is the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Walter H. Brooks.

Mrs. Susie Lampkins, of this city, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fitchett, for the Christmas holidays, at Phoebus, Va.

Miss Catherine Ransom, of Penn-

sylvania, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Henrietta V. Davis, elocutionist, of this city, visited Cincinnati, Ohio, last week.

Miss Mamie McGinn, one of our public school teachers, will spend her holidays in Philadelphia, the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Estelle Fendall, of Philadelphia, Pa., will be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McKinny, at 6 P street northeast.

Mrs. Robert R. Colbert, of this city, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Griger at 252 West 124th street New York city.

Mrs. J. B. Shephard has returned to her home in Pittsburg, Pa., visiting friends in this city for a week.

Mrs. Crawford, of Vienna, N. J., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. J. Davis, of 828 12th street northeast.

Miss Ada A. Pinckney, one of our school teachers, and Mr. Julius Ross were married last Saturday at the residence of Mrs. Elizabeth Pinckney, 2214 Eleventh street northwest, by Dr. Wiseman.

ROYAL CABINET

The Royal Cabinet Dancing Class announces to the general public that it will give prizes every Tuesday evening at the hall, which is beautifully arranged, F street between Third and Four-and-a-half streets southwest.

HIAWATHA

If you want a first-class amusement for your children, one that is instructive as well as interesting, you should spend an evening at the Hiawatha. The greatest Comedian upon the stage today will be seen at this place. His name is Finley Forarigvalitz, he cannot be surpassed. The manager deserves credit for giving the people of this city such a high class vaudeville.

BRUCE-JETER

Miss Mabel M. Bruce, one of our teachers, becomes, Bride of Mr. Walter Jeter.

The marriage of Miss Mabel M. Bruce and Mr. Walter Jeter took place last Sunday afternoon at four o'clock at the residence of the bride, 207 Elm street northwest.

Miss B. Bruce, aunt of the bride, was matron of honor and Miss Agnes Davis was bridesmaid.

The wedding reception was held from 6 to 8 p.m., when many friends were present to congratulate the happy couple. The presents were numerous and costly.

THE USHERS OF THE METROPOLITAN A. M. E. CHURCH

The following officers were elected to the Ushers Board of the Metropolitan A. M. E. Church:

S. W. Hardy, president.

J. H. Robinson, second vice president.

J. P. A. White, assistant secretary.

Charles Fisher, chaplain.

A. Williams, vice president.

C. E. Allen, secretary.

S. Larry, treasurer.

R. Perrin, sergeant-at-arms.

The following officers of the Usher Board consist of some of the leading young men of the A. M. E. Church, and they were instrumental in raising over \$240, at the last rally of the church; the Board consist of over thirty members, and also a ladies auxiliary, and they deserve great credit for the efforts they are making to aid the church financially.

FAIRMOUNT HEIGHTS-AN VICINITY LOCALS

Mrs. Lottie S. Payne of Linwood Heights, D. C., is convalescing from a dangerous attack of ptomaine poisoning.

Mr. Washington Wilson who underwent a serious operation performed by Drs. Jones and Jack has returned to his duties at the capital.


Mrs. Maria Choates has opened a coal, wood and express business in Fairmount Heights.

The stork has visited quite a number of homes in Fairmount Heights during the last two weeks and still there are more to follow. Our population is rapidly increasing both from within and without.

Mr. Thos. Redman has a fast mare that he has brought up from his farm in Virginia.

Miss Ida C. Plummer has installed a telephone service in her home on Sheriff Road, Deanwood.

The community loses a valuable citizen and worker in the death of Rev. Joshua Barnes, who pastored in Washington for several years and started a growing mission in Fairmount Heights. Resolutions of re-



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source from which to draw.

It was here the Freedmen's Bureau did its most effective work. To illustrate he said: "If Baltimore were burned down to night and its population poured into this city to be fed, clothed, sheltered and its children sent to school it would give you some idea of what Richmond was in 1865 as he recalled it when General Howard had to grapple with the perplexing problem.

Bishop Abraham Grant closed the speaking with appropriate and forceful remarks. The music was furnished by the Metropolitan A. M. E. Church Choir, which was in its best form, under the direction of Dr. J. T. Layton.

The Aeolian Mandolin Club rendered exquisitely a difficult selection, Overture—Tannhauser by Wagner.

CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION — AUDITOR TYLER SPEAKS

At the regular monthly meeting of the Howard Park Citizens' Association held last week, the president, Rev. D. E. Wiseman, presided, and Auditor Ralph W. Tyler, delivered an interesting and practical address on "Good Citizenship." Auditor Tyler pointed out the duties and obligations of citizenship in city and State, and emphasized the obligation of each resident in a community to maintain order to promote its cleanliness and to enhance its beauty. He

showed his deep interest in the subject by offering two prizes of ten dollars, respectively, as first and second prizes, to be bestowed by the Association to any one of its members who would be adjudged to show the best kept front yard and back yard for the period running from January 1, 1910 to September 1, 1910. The prizes are to be awarded at the September meeting of the association. great papers of the South, giving a spirit of rivalry is kept up to the end of the season.

Mr. Tyler was unanimously elected an honorary member of the association.

The project to effect the reclamation of the Anacostia flats was unanimously endorsed by the association.

Mr. Robert Pelham, chairman of the committee on mails and legislation reported that steps had been taken by his committee to secure an earlier and prompt delivery of mail for the heretofore neglected portions of Sixth Street hill and the remote portions of LaDroit Park, and that a promise of improvement in these matters had been made by the post office authorities.

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